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# Plant Trees



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EVERGREEN NURSERY

VAL KATZENBERGER, Manager  
FOSTERS, MICHIGAN



February 1st, 1924

DEAR FRIEND:

Please permit me to present to you my 1924 Catalog and Price List.

I thank you for your generous support in the past, and beg that you may not withhold your patronage in the future. I trust that our intercourse in the past has been of mutual benefit and hope that it may prove the same in the future.

Sincerely yours,  
VAL KATZENBERGER,  
R. F. D. 2 Fosters, Mich.

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#### TO THOSE WHO DON'T KNOW:

My Nursery may be found two (2) miles north of Fosters, on the east side of section thirty (30), Township of Bridgeport, one mile east of Sheridan Road and about seven (7) miles south from the Tower Clock.

POST OFFICE ADDRESS: As I am located on rural route No. 2 out of Fosters, all correspondence should be addressed that way.

TELEPHONE: Call Riverside 7181-F3.

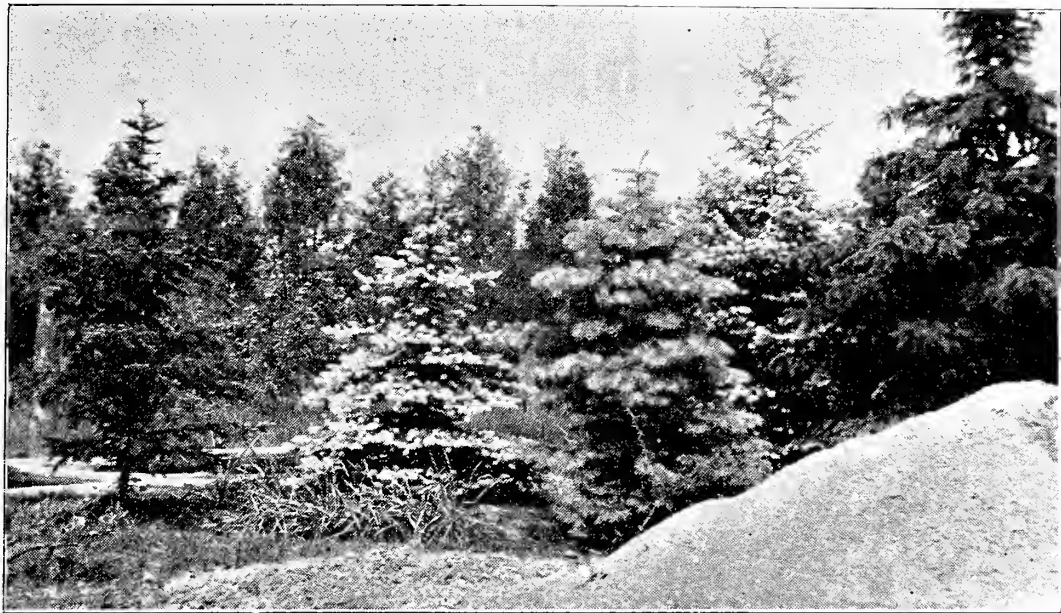
POSTAGE, EXPRESS OR FREIGHT CHARGES must be paid by the purchaser, if plants are to be shipped that way.

GUARANTEE: I guarantee to furnish live and healthy trees and plants, but cannot assume the responsibility that belongs to the purchaser. If plants and trees are not satisfactory when received, they must be returned and money paid for the same will be cheerfully refunded.

CAUTION: On receiving the plants examine the shipment. If they look good to you plant at once or heel them in, in a moist, shady place. If not satisfactory for any reason notify me, or return them, and if I cannot furnish what you want I will refund your money without a question.

Causes of failure are varied and many times beyond my observation and control.

# EVERGREENS



**Norway Spruce**, This is one of the most popular Evergreens.

Specimen, 4 feet .....\$1.00

Specimen, 3 feet .....\$.75

Four year transplants 20-24 in.....\$.50

**Colorado Blue Spruce**  
Specimen 24-30 in. ....\$5.00

**Colorado Green Spruce**  
Specimen 30-36 inches .....\$3.00

**Hemlock Spruce**  
Specimen 18-24 inches .....\$1.50

**Wisconsin Red Cedar**  
Specimen 2 feet .....\$1.00

Specimen 15 inches .....\$.50

**Irish Juniper** 12-15 inches .....\$.75

**Dwarf Mountain Pine**  
10-12 inch spread .....\$1.50

**Jack Pine**, 2 feet .....\$.50  
                  1 foot ..... .25

## Deciduous Trees

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Norway Maple 7-8 feet .....	\$1.50
Soft Maple 12-14 feet .....	\$3.00
Soft Maple 6-8 feet .....	\$.75
Am. White Elm 10 12 feet .....	\$2.50

### TREES WITH PURPLE FOLIAGE

Swedlery Maple 6-7 feet .....	\$2.00
Prunus Pissardi Purple-leafed Plum 5-7 feet .....	\$1.50

### DOUBLE FLOWERING TREES

Prunus Triloba, double pink .....	\$1.50
Bechtels double-flowering Crab .....	\$2.00

### WEeping TREES

Campertown Elm, 2 year .....	\$2.50
Catalpa Bungi, 2 yrs.....	\$2.50
Teas Weeping Mulberry, 3 yrs.....	\$3.00
Weirs Cut-leaved Maple, 7-8.....	\$2.00

### NUT BEARING TREES

Am. Black Walnut, 10 ft.....	\$2.00
Am. Black Walnut, 8 ft.....	\$1.50
Butternut, 2 yrs., 5 ft.....	\$.50

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## PLANTING DIRECTIONS

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**First**—Dig deep and wide; keep the good top soil on one side and the poor subsoil on the other.

**Second**—Fill in the hole enough of good soil, that if the plant is set thereon, the crown of the roots is slightly below the level of the ground, according to the size of the plant.

**Third**—Pack good soil around and under the roots—filling all empty spaces.

**Fourth**—If the soil be dry, use water freely to moisten and further help pack the soil.

**Fifth**—Fill in more soil and tamp.

**Sixth**—Fill up with loose soil and level off.

It is needless to say that all mutilated roots should have been trimmed and straggling ones cut back, and the tops cut back to balance the proportion of the tops to the roots.

Aside from a good watering in dry weather—frequent loosening of the surface with the hoe. will be all that is necessary.

# Flowering Shrubs

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**Snowball, Japan Snowball, 3 feet...\$.75**

**Althea, Rose of Sharon**

These shrubs come in a variety of colors, white, pink, red, blue and variegated single and double flowers. They bloom in the Fall when flowers are few.

Bush form 18-24 inches .....\$.50

Tree form, 3-4 feet.....\$1.00

**Flowering Almonds**, double pink and white flowers, 2-3 feet each.....\$1.00

**Barberry Thunbergi**, the only safe hedge plant in that class; all others barred. 2-yr. plants 15-18 in.....\$.15

**Forsythea (Golden Bell)** blooms in early spring before the leaves appear. 3-4 feet .....\$.50

**Hydrangea**

Paniculata Grandiflora, bush .....\$.75

Paniculata Grandiflora Tree ....\$1.00

**Arborescens, Snowball Hydrangea or Hills of Snow** .....\$.50

# Roses



BABY ELLEN PAULSON

## ROSES

50 cents each except where noted

### CLIMBING ROSES

#### Crimson Rambler

A strong grower and free bloomer

#### Dorothea Perkins

Shell pink, very popular .....\$.25

#### White Dorothea Perkins

A counterpart of the pink except in color.

#### Climbing Baby Rambler

A strong grower and free bloomer.

#### Climbing American Beauty

Seven Sisters .....\$.25



BABY CATHERINE ZEIMET

### POLYANTHA or BABY ROSES

Crimson Baby, Crimson free bloomer

Baby Dorothea, pink, fragrant.

Catherine Zeimet, white and very sweet

#### Baby Ellen Paulson

Pink splashed crimson.

### HYBRID PERPETUALS

American Beauty, a great favorite

Paul Neyron, pink, very large.

Ulrich Brunner, cherry red, thornless.

#### Frau Carl Druschke

Distinctive form, charming beauty.

Hermosa, Old but ever welcome.

Everblooming

#### Gruss on Teplitz

Scarlet constant bloomer.

General Jaques, bright crimson.

#### Duchess of Wellington

A dependable yellow hybride. The buds are long, flowers large and well formed. Robust habit and a good bloomer, each .....\$1.00

Flowering Shrubs



Bush Honeysuckle

Tartarian Pink 18-24 .....\$.25

Fragrantissima 18-24 .....\$.25

**Snowberry** blooms late and is followed with snowwhite fruit which is very ornamental and persists until destroyed by heavy frost, 3-4 feet.....\$.50

**Waxberry or Indian Currant.** The fruit is set late in summer and hangs on way into winter, 3-4 feet .....\$.50

**Spirea Van Houti.** This shrub stands ace high for popularity, 4 feet.....\$.50  
3 feet.....\$.35

**Spirea Anthony Waterer** blossoms pink in late summer; dwarf habit.....\$.25

**Spirea Frobelli**, the same as Anthony Waterer only stronger and taller....\$.25

**Philadelphus Grandiflorus**, large flowered Syringa .....\$.50

**Philadelphus Coronarius** or Sweet flowered Mock Orange 18-24 in...\$.25

**Philadelphus Lemoine** of very straight and upright growth, narrow leaves, small flowers, 3-4 feet .....\$.50

**Philadelphus Syringa Golden.** A dwarf plant, golden yellow foliage,  
15-18 inches ..... \$.50

**Weigelia Rosea**, 2 years .....\$.50

**Col. Privet for Hedges** .....\$.15

**Riegel Privet**, white flowers, black berries, horizontal branches .....\$.50

**Amour River Privet**, hardier than the other kinds .....\$.50





VINES and CLIMBERS

<b>Ampelopsis Quinquefolia</b>	
American Ivy .....	\$.50
<b>Ampelopsis Vitchi, Boston Ivy .....</b>	
<b>Aristolochia, Dutchman's Pipe.....</b>	
<b>Bignonia, Trumpet flower .....</b>	
<b>Celastrus Bittersweet,</b>	
Scarlet berries, very ornamental..	\$.50
<b>Halls Japan Honeysuckle,</b>	
Cream white flowers,sweet .....	\$.50
<b>Clematis</b>	
Jackmani purple .....	\$.50
Henri, white .....	\$.50
Paniculata, white star-like flowers	
bloom in the fall .....	\$.50
<b>Wistaria, Chinese purple .....</b>	
<b>.....\$.75</b>	

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
CERTIFICATE OF NURSERY INSPECTION

No. 2824

This is to Certify, that I have examined the nursery stock of Val. Katzenberger, Fosters, Michigan, and find it apparently free from dangerous insects and dangerously contagious tree and plant diseases.

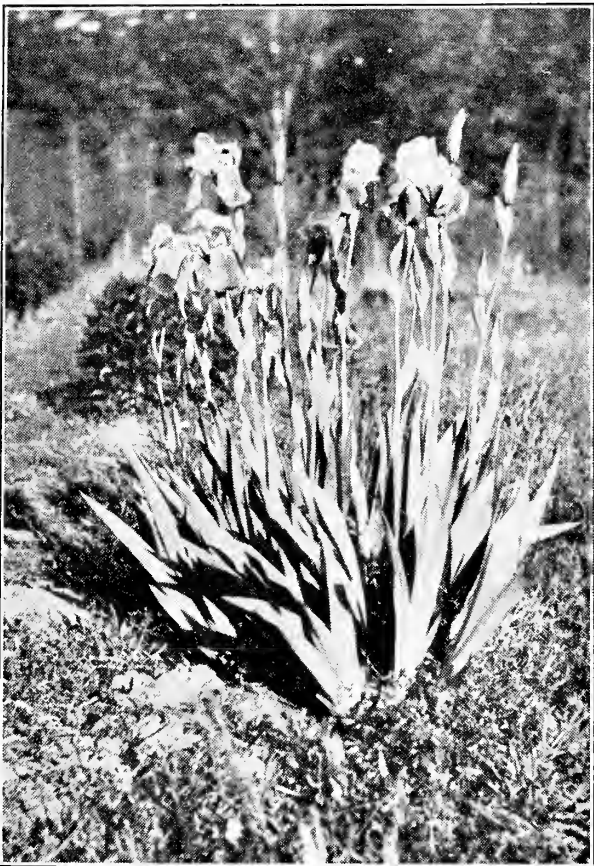
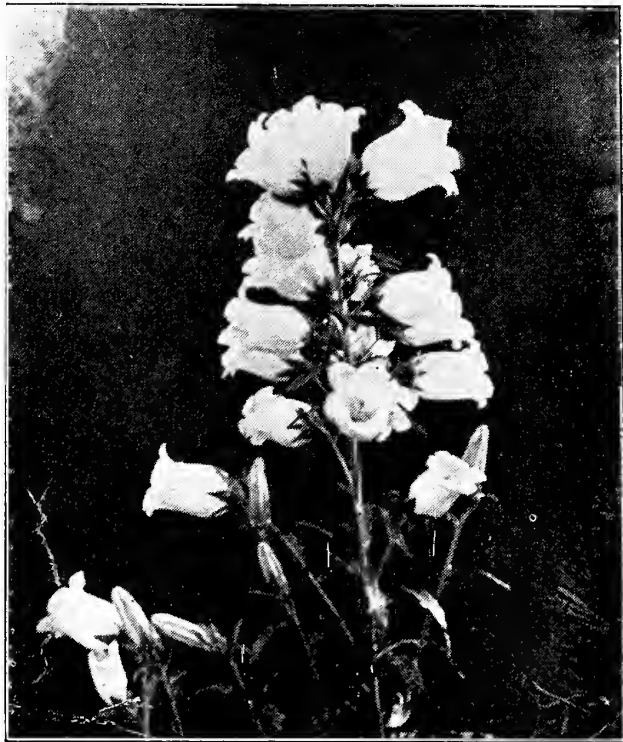
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Bureau of Foods and Standards,  
W. P. HARTMAN, Director.

Lansing, Mich., September 15. 1923.

HARDY PERENNIALS

Chrysanthemum, the hardy pompon,	
white, yellow, pink and red, each	\$.25
Canterbury Bells, each	\$.15
four	\$.50
Coriopsis	\$.15
Gailardia	\$.15
Delphinium Larkspur	\$.15
Oriental Poppies	\$.15
Shasta Daisies	\$.15



HARDY PHLOX

Bridesmaid, white with pink center.	
R. P. Struthers, cherry red.	
Reinstrom, rose pink, very large.	
Mrs. Jenkins, tall white.	
Champs Elysees, rose magenta.	
Lothair, bright crimson.	
Independence, dwarf white.	
Assorted four	\$.50
Each	\$.15
Iris—German Iris, purple, blue, red,	
yellow, white and Lavender, single	
toe	\$.15
Lemon Lily, 6 for	\$.50
Bleeding Heart, Division, each	\$.50
Yucca Filamentosa,	
Adam's Needle, each	\$.50
Spirea Palmetta, pink plumes 7-10 in.	
in length on 5 foot stems	\$.50
New England Asters, bears masses of	
purple flowers in late Fall	\$.25

# Peonea

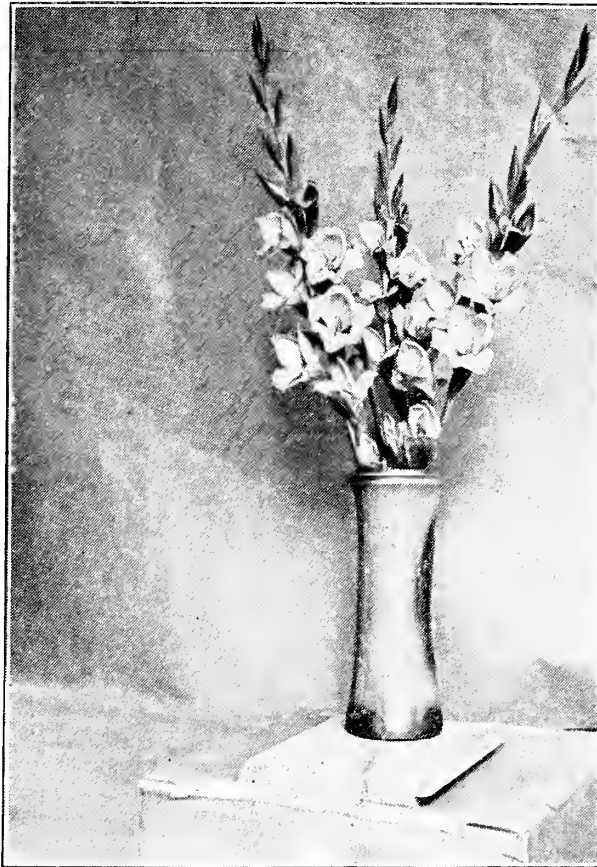


## PEONEAS

Peonea divisions, 3-5 eyes .....	\$ .50
Peoneas, several shades of pink, large clumps per stem .....	\$ .10
Divisions, 3-5 eyes .....	\$ .50
Peonea Officinalis Rubra, the old- fashioned early red divisions, 3-5 eyes .....	\$ .75

## MISCELLANEOUS

Creeping Phlox, or Moss Pink, moss like foliage, with masses of small pink flowers, clumps .....	\$ .50
Blue Myrtle, evergreen, the well known spreading creeper, per 12.....	\$ .50



### DAHLIAS

10c each; \$1.00 per 12

- Eurica**, yellow shaded salmon.
- Livonia**, deep pink.
- Delicia**, soft pink.
- Dewey**, American Beauty.
- Sylvia**, white shaded lavender.
- Dousan**, very large, orange.
- Snowclad**, pompon white.
- Krimhild**, deep pink, cream center, cactus Dahlia.
- Zulu**, cactus, dark nearly black.

### GLADIOLI

- Mountain Rose**, soft pink.
  - Independence**, rosy pink.
  - Pink Beauty**, soft pink, ruby throat, very early.
  - Halley**, delicate salmon pink, early.
  - Evelyn Kirkland**, tall stately, color shell pink at the center to rosy pink at the edges with ruby blotches on lower petals.
  - Mrs. Francis King**, large spikes of showy flowers, light scarlet.
- The above six varieties, per 12.....\$.75

### GLADIOLI

- Mrs. Frank Pendleton**, flowers large, well expanded, salmon pink, dark red blotch on lower petals.
  - Baron Hulot**, deep Indigo blue.
  - Schwaben**, canary yellow.
  - America**, soft flesh pink.
  - Panama**, deeper pink and larger than America.
  - Princepine**, scarlet, white blotch on lower petals.
  - Hereda**, pure mauve, a new variety with a new color for a Gladioli.
- The above seven varieties, per 12..\$1.00

# STRAWBERRIES

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**\$6.00 per 1,000; \$0.75 per 100**

In Strawberry growing, soil, location, and care form the tripod of success.

**Soil**—Any land that will grow a maximum crop of corn or potatoes will also grow strawberries, if the other factors are right.

**Location**—Low, swampy ground, or dry knolls should be avoided, as Jack Frost will get your berries on the one and drouth on the other.

**Care**—Choose a rich piece of ground that has been cultivated for several years and is clear of sods or weeds. Plant early in spring in rows 24 to 30 inches apart for hand culture, or from

3 to 3½ feet for field culture, with plants from 12 to 18 inches apart in the row; however, plant close to let the rows fill up with plants early in the season. Keep the ground well cultivated and free from weeds, and later, when the rows are well filled with plants, cut away all surplus runners.

At the approach of cold weather, place a clean mulch between the rows, and after the ground is frozen, over the rows as well. In the spring, if your mulch is thick on the plants remove a part, so that the plants may be able to grow up through, but leave that between the rows, it will keep the ground from drying out, keep out weeds and also keep your berries clean.

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## STRAWBERRIES

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**Premier**, said to be the best and most productive early berry.

**Dunlap**, the best and most popular berry grown.

**Dr. Burrill**, said to be an improved Dunlap.

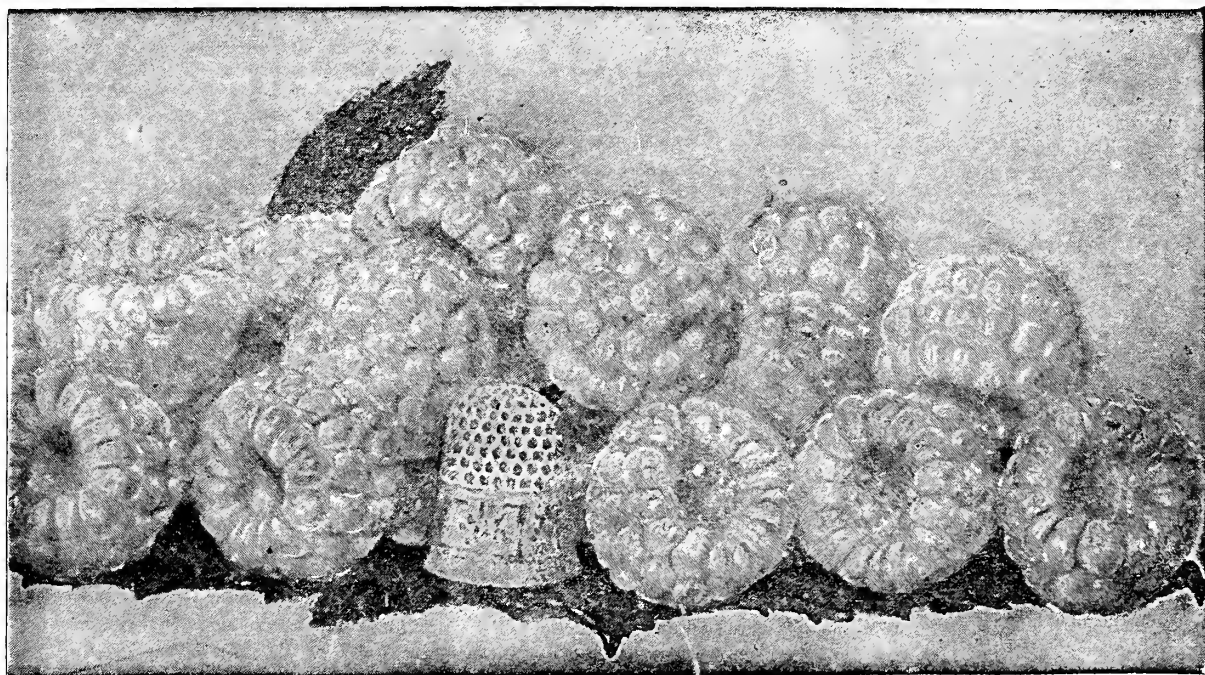
**Gibson**, a fine table berry, bright color, large and productive.

**Glen Mary**, improved by selection, very large and of the best quality.

**Brandywine**, very popular with people who can give it good soil and better care. About ten days later than the others.

**Progressive Everbearing**, a thanksgiving berry.

75c per 12; \$3.00 per 100



## RASPBERRIES

**Cuthbert or Queen of the Market.**  
This standard variety is well known.

Per 12—\$.50; per 100—\$3.00

**St. Regis, "Everbearing"** of the Cuthbert type, requires no extra manipulation to get a crop in July and again in the Fall.

Per 12—\$1.00; per 100—\$5.00

**Columbian, "purple cap"** a plant of large growth, hardy and productive; berries large size and of a purplish pink color, of the best quality.

**Cumberland "Black cap"** the largest black raspberry known, the plants are strong and healthy, hardy and productive. ....\$.50 per 12, \$3.00 per 100

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## BLACKBERRIES

**Snyder**, a dependable early blackberry, hardy and productive.

\$.50 per 12, \$2.50 per 100

**Lucretia Dewberries.** Dewberries are larger and earlier than the blackberries and sweet when fully ripe. Dewberries are of a trailing and spreading habit, for that reason easier to protect in Winter.

\$1.00 per 12, \$5.00 per 100

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## GOOSEBERRIES

**Houghton**, a berry of medium size, red of color, and of the best quality.

GRAPES

**Concord**, the standard grape for a large part of the Country.

**Worden**, berries and bunches larger than Concord. A better grape for family use and fully a week earlier.

**Moore's Early**, a fine grape for home use or nearby markets, ripens two weeks earlier than Concord.

**Campbell's Early** berries are large bunches shouldered, weighing from one to two pounds each, sweet and good with long keeping qualities, each....\$.25

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RED GRAPES

**Agawam**, large spicy, finest quality red grape, each .....\$.20

**Brighton**, a red grape of medium sized bunches and berries; quality fine. Each ..... \$.25

**Lucille**, a fine red grape, said to be productive to a fault; bunches and berries above medium size, each....\$.25

**Delaware**, bunches and berries small but very productive and good.....\$.25

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WHITE GRAPES

**Niagara**, the standard white grape. Bunches and berries large.

**Moore's Diamond**, an early white grape, somewhat smaller than Niagara but very sweet and good, each.....\$.25

**Elvira**, a fine show grape, bunches medium but very compact. Quality good, each .....\$.25

**Price of Grapevines** unless otherwise priced, 20c each; \$2.00 for twelve; \$15.00 per 100.

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ASPARAGUS

**Palmetto**, the kind I grow for market  
2 year old roots.....\$1.50 per 100  
\$10.00 per 1,000

1 year old, better than any 2 year olds  
I ever bought .....\$1.00 per 100  
\$8.00 per 1,000

## Fruit Tress

### Apples—each \$.75

Yellow Transparent  
 Red Astrachan  
 Duchess of Oldenburg  
 Sweet Bough  
 Wealthy  
 Snow  
 Northern Spy  
 Grimes Golden  
 Wagner  
 Delicious  
 Transcendent Crab

**Dwarf Apple**, trees will bear quite young and may be planted very close.

Snow  
 Wagner  
 Wealthy  
 Duchess of Oldenburg

\$.75 each

### Pears—each \$1.00

Anjou  
 Clapp's Favorite  
 Bartlett  
 Kiefer

### Dwarf Pears—75c each

Duchess of Angelom  
 Anjou  
 Clapp's Favorite

### Plums—\$1.00 each

Lombard  
 Burbank  
 German Prune

### Cherries—\$1.00 each

Early Richmond  
 Black Tartarian  
 English Morrillo  
 Montmorrencey



Snow, May 9, 1923

